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To Steven Ellsworth
P.O. Box 498
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From Eric P. Newman
6450 Cecil Ave
St Louis Mo 63105

It was very stimulating and "buckets" of fun to have you visit me on Feb 6, 2000. We had a lot to digest at the brunch for which I thank you.

You asked me for data on Hickey and his 1799 and other cents. The attached memo will give you a few. I will be glad to try to furnish additional data if you feel it in connection with your new acquisition.

Let us keep in touch.

Eric

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Tuesday, February 15, 2000

Mr. Eric Newman
6450 Cecil Ave.
St. Louis, MO 63105

Dear Eric,

It was an absolute pleasure seeing you again and meeting your lovely wife Evelyn. Your beautiful home and your hospitality were most warm and enjoyable.

It was a very special day for me. It just could not have been better. I was most fascinated listening to the coin tails and tribulations as you so delightfully told them. Perhaps in the near future we could even suggest to the ANS a few courses of action. Unfortunately in these type of matters, it is usually a most difficult reception until it is far too late for implementation.

What a fun time we had, and the brunch simply could not have been better. I hope we can repeat this in the future.

Thank you for sharing so much of your time with me.

Warmest regards,

COL Steven K. Ellsworth

PS: Upon my return I received your fax on Mickley. If you see any more information, please keep me in mind.

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Steve Ellsworth

there is for sale at the auction of
Charles Davis
P.O Box 547
Wenham MA 01984
on
March 4, 2000

Tel 9784682933
Fax 9784687893

Lot 164
Joseph J Mickley
Dates of United States Coins and their Degrees of Rarity
4 pages issued 1858
near fine
estimate $100
this is Mickley's only publication

If you are interested try to get it.

Eric
the brancher